

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-15

INFO OCT-01 SSO-00 CCO-00 ISO-00 EA-07 H-01 /024 W  
-----180959 091881 /23S-12

O 180910Z FEB 77  
FM USDEL SECRETARY AIRCRAFT  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L SECTO 2040

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS)  
SUBJECT: VIETNAM

REF: STATE 037317

I STILL BELIEVE IT BEST TO HOLD PRESS COMMENT TO  
PREVIOUS GUIDANCE. WE SHOULD JUST WAIT FOR VIETNAMESE  
RESPONSE. PRESIDENT'S STATEMENTS TO DATE ADEQUATELY  
PRESENT THE POLICY AND THERE IS NO NEED TO GO BEYOND  
THAT AT THIS POINT.  
VANCE

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
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**Disposition History:** n/a  
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